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## TOWNSHEND.

### Former Resident Dies in Amherst.

Mrs. Mary R. (McMaster) Winslow, 77, a resident of Amherst, Mass., and Newfane from 1870 to 1882 and relative of many present and former residents of Windham county, died Aug. 13, in the home of her son in New York city.

She came to Vermont from Amherst with her husband, L. I. Winslow, a native of Townshend. He conducted a store in Townshend some time, also one in Newfane. After his death Mrs. Winslow and three children moved to Amherst. During her later life she had spent much time with her son, Park T. Winslow. She also leaves two daughters, Mrs. Arden M. Rockwood of Portland, Ore., and Mrs. A. B. Bryant of Gardner, Mass.

The body was brought to Townshend Thursday night, where it remained in the home of Mrs. Susan Atwood until Friday morning, when services were held at the family lot in Oakwood cemetery by Rev. R. H. Bosworth. The bearers were P. T. Winslow, A. B. Bryant, Alvin McMaster of Amherst, and A. L. Brainerd of South Orange.

Miss Ruth Barry is visiting in Wallaston, Mass.

H. A. McCulloch has sold his farm here and moved to Putney.

George Willard of Dummerston is visiting at F. W. Watson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blanchard are visiting his parents in Readsboro.

Albert Farwell of North Grafton, Mass., is visiting at Mrs. Effie Farwell's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Barry of Wallaston, Mass., are visiting at A. W. Barry's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barry of Saxtons River were recent visitors at A. W. Barry's.

Miss Lena Blodgett of Windsor was a guest at F. W. Watson's from Monday to Friday.

The topic for the Christian Endeavor meeting next Sunday will be The Christian Challenge to Life Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pelkey of Ludlow have moved into the upstairs tenement at Mrs. Addie Sparks's.

Miss Rose Watson and little niece and nephew returned to Brattleboro Monday, having spent a week and a half with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Watson.

Miss Susan Watson of Washington came Friday to visit at F. W. Watson's. She and Mrs. F. W. Watson spent some time visiting in Johnsonville and Bennington.

Everett, George, Charles, Ruth and Nellie Hamilton of Windham, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stork and little daughter of South Vernon visited their sister, Mrs. Henry Puffer, Sunday.

## WINDHAM.

Dr. L. B. Dutton of Roxbury, Mass., is visiting his nephew, George Dutton.

Mrs. Mary Holbrook and two children of Brooklyn are visiting at F. H. Harris's.

Mrs. Sarah Howard of West Townshend has been visiting her sister, Madam Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dutton and two youngest children and Dr. L. B. Dutton took an automobile trip to Manchester Thursday.

Miss Margaret and Miss Harriet Harris of Deerfield, Mass., are visiting their uncle, F. H. Harris. They made the trip in their Roy car.

A. P. Avery of Brooklyn, J. D. Avery of North Stonington, Conn., G. W. Avery of Groton, Conn., and Miss Annie Avery of New London, Conn., visited at the Upham's last week, leaving Saturday morning for the White mountains.

## HALIFAX.

Charles Thurber recently bought a new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Crosier and family motored to Bondville Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Rogers has returned home after spending a week at Dummerston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mixer and Mrs. Frank Covey and daughter visited at Zora Whitney's recently.

Four automobile loads of people from here attended the picnic and field day at Newfane last Friday.

## JAMAICA.

Mrs. L. W. Bemis spent last week in Brattleboro.

Miss Thelma Rawson is spending the week in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shumway went to Franklin for a visit recently.

Mrs. Emma Franklin of Windsor is visiting her brother, R. J. Daggett.

Harold Barnes of Brattleboro is with his grandfather, L. W. Kingsbury.

Bert Allen was in town recently to visit his mother, Mrs. Amanda Allen.

D. Howe is moving his family to Brattleboro, where he has employment.

Judge E. L. Waterman of Brattleboro was in town last week visiting relatives.

Mrs. Della Howard is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Francis Spaulding, from Connecticut.

Engineer and Mrs. Harry Cottrell took a trip to Canada going Monday and returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stark and Florence visited relatives in Manchester, going by automobile last week.

Mrs. Edna Wright is away for a visit with relatives in several towns, going Friday to Brattleboro.

Mrs. Nellie Medbury has finished her visit in Wilmington and Searsboro and returned to O. A. Johnson's.

Mrs. Flora Howard and Miss Stella Howard visited in Manchester Friday, C. C. Allen taking them in his car.

Mrs. Rose Pierce and son and Miss Lizzie Amnden, who have been here a few weeks, went back to Spofford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Torrey attended the funeral of her grandfather, David Aldrich, in South Londonderry Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Johnson and children of Searsboro visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Johnson, Sunday.

E. O. Allen and family and Miss Mary Robinson attended the Chautauqua in Brattleboro Thursday evening, Aug. 21.

A. B. Stark is getting off lumber from Tom Thumbl which was recently bought by E. L. Williams of Charles Holt.

Lewis Savage lost a fine cow last week. The animal fell off the ledge of rocks near the depot bridge to the railroad track.

Guests at H. A. McLean's the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLean and Joseph McLean and family of Waterbury, Conn.

Mrs. George Gardner has returned home from South Londonderry where she went to help care for her father, David Aldrich, during his illness.

There was no service at the community church Sunday and there will be none next Sunday. Rev. L. H. Sprague is having a two-week's vacation.

Mrs. Frank Rue and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cottrell of New Jersey, who have spent a few weeks at the Rue place here, returned to their home Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Sprague began their vacation Aug. 19, going to South Londonderry to visit Arthur Allen, thence to Wardsboro for Sunday.

Mrs. Bent, who has been at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Hamilton, some time, left Friday for home, stopping in Wilmington for a visit with her son.

Schools in town begin next Tuesday. Miss Phelps and Miss Davies, both of South Londonderry, teach the village schools. They will board with Mrs. P. C. Stark.

Mrs. Harriet Holton, Mrs. Ella Robinson, Mrs. Lucy Kellogg and Mrs. Jennie Ballard visited at John Thompson's in South Londonderry Aug. 21. George Harrington took them by automobile.

The missionary auxiliary meeting was held at the church last Aug. 20. Mrs. Herbert Bent of Waterbury, Mass., gave a very interesting account of Mother's work, telling what is being accomplished and the great need of trained mothers as well as trained teachers. A duet, The Songs That Mother Sang, was rendered by Mrs. Baggett and Mrs. Emerson, and all joined in other songs. A picnic supper was served in honor of Mrs. Carver of Bangor, Me., Mrs. Chloe Eddy of Shushan, N. Y., and Mrs. C. L. Sargent of Winhall, they having contributed money to the treasury. Twenty were present, including 15 members. At the September meeting a covered dish supper will be served in charge of Miss Edna Burnap.

## SOUTH LONDONDERRY.

### David Aldrich Dies From Shock.

David Aldrich, 77, a resident of the town practically all his life, died Aug. 19, in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Noble Rawson, after an illness of seven weeks following a shock sustained while at his work.

Mr. Aldrich was born on the old Aldrich farm in this town June 21, 1842, and when 21 years old married Esther E. Farnum, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Farnum of Wardsboro, and six children were born to them. Until a few years ago when they went to live with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich lived with their son, William J. Aldrich.

He always had followed the farming occupation. He was honest, reliable and a hard working man, the loss of whom the town feels keenly. He was one of its best citizens. He was a steward in the Methodist church and spent much time in up-building the church, especially in the line of music.

Besides his five children, Addie, wife of George Gardner of Jamaica; Fred of Northampton, Mass.; Hattie, wife of Noble Rawson; and William J., he leaves one brother, Russell Aldrich, 83, of Springfield (Vt.), the last of a large family.

The funeral was held in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Rawson, Rev. Ervin C. Clark, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating, and the burial took place in the old family cemetery in Winhall Hollow.

### Mrs. Adrill Williams.

The funeral of Mrs. Stella (Baker) Williams, 63, was held in her home in Goodellville, Friday afternoon. Her three sons, George, Fred and Herbert, one daughter, Mrs. Doane, and their families, a sister, Mrs. Chase, all of this village, attended the funeral, also one son, Frank, who lives in Goodellville, and a daughter, Ruth, who has always lived at home. Rev. E. C. Taylor of this village officiated. The burial took place in Rawsonville cemetery.

Mrs. Williams had been in ill health a long time. A few weeks ago she went up to Lake Wantastiquet in Weston, where her sons have a cottage. While there she was taken worse, and died Aug. 19. The family circle is broken. A devoted wife and loving mother has passed away and will be greatly missed at the family gatherings and by her many friends.

George Bryant has a new Ford car. Frank Davis has returned from Newfane.

Miss Hazel Lapearl visited in Springfield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis of Windsor are visiting here.

Miss Jennie McGrath of Charles-town, Mass., is visiting at G. L. Parker's.

Henry Wood and Charles Glazier of Hebron, N. Y., were guests of N. G. Wood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schultz of Woodford city are visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wade, Mrs. Robert Charlton and son, Robert, of Springfield were here over Sunday.

Mrs. John Carleton has returned improved in health. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edwin Wernoff, came with her.

Rev. F. C. Taylor's sister of New York state visited him last week. He and his sister have gone to Granby, Mass., to visit their mother.

Mrs. Hattie Strong and daughter, Ruth, were week-end visitors in Manchester. Her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Manchester of Springfield, is here.

## SOUTH VERNON.

Schools will open Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Mrs. M. C. Carpenter of Seymour, Ind., is a guest of Mrs. A. B. Gould.

E. Bolden visited his son, Everett Bolden, in Springfield, Mass., last week.

Mrs. Louis Labelle went last week to Connecticut to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freeman of Brattleboro spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence.

Mrs. J. M. Shaw spent several days recently in Reading, also in Wakefield, accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Akley.

A motor cycle party including Allen Grant, Charles Holt and Francis Steinbrogan of Malden, Carl Lawson of Melrose and Alfred Long of Billerica are visiting E. P. Edson.

Fourteen of the little friends of Helen Farland met Saturday afternoon at her home to help her celebrate her fifth birthday anniversary. They played games, had their pictures taken, and enjoyed songs. They sat down to a table prettily decorated with asparagus, geraniums and sweet peas, in the center of which was a birthday cake. Ice cream, cake and cookies were served. She received pretty presents including a sum of money. Her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Farland of Springfield, was an out-of-town guest.

In two important battles fought by British soldiers they did not lose a single man. One was in 1868, when Napier stormed Magdala in Abyssinia. In that fight thousands of the enemy were killed. The other instance was at Fattahpore, when Havelock, marching to relieve Lucknow, defeated the rebels heavily, but lost not a man.

## VERNON.

Vernon free library will be open for the exchange of books Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Streeter went to Londonderry Saturday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Eva McKnight of Greenfield was a visitor Sunday and Monday with Mrs. James Phetteplace.

Miss Roby Wright and Mrs. G. A. Smith have returned from Niantic, Conn., where they spent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tracy and family of Wilmington visited relatives and friends in town Sunday.

Fred Stone went Saturday to attend the funeral of his father, whose death occurred last week in Londonderry.

Leon Johnson returned to West Brattleboro Saturday, having spent a week with his sister, Mrs. James Phetteplace.

Mrs. H. B. Moody of Gardner, Me., has returned to her home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brown.

Mrs. P. W. Rancourt of Shelburne Falls was a guest of Mrs. A. L. Miller Thursday and visited former friends and neighbors.

Miss Ionia Johnson is having two weeks' vacation from her work at Buflum's store in Northfield and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prescott and daughter and Mrs. D. P. Prescott returned Monday from an automobile trip. While away they visited in Windsor and Fairlee.

Mrs. C. C. Burnham and daughter, Ethel, went Friday to Springfield to be away a week. Mrs. C. M. Burnham of Chesterfield is at the Burnham home during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Akley are expected to return Wednesday from a few days' vacation in Milbury, Mass. Mrs. E. H. Akley and Miss Inez Akley are at the Akley home during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Stebbins of Fitchburg, and Miss Lillian Stebbins of South Vernon came Saturday to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stebbins. On Saturday the party went by automobile to Wilmington and Bennington and over the Mohawk trail.

Visitors at Mrs. M. I. Reed's this week are Mrs. Ernest Reed and son, Marshall, of New York, and Mrs. Clara Edwards of Brattleboro, who came Tuesday. They will be joined Saturday by Ernest Reed of New York and Miss Beatrice Reed of Washington, D. C.

Harry Horsman of West Somerville accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Upton, came Saturday to visit his family at Mrs. John Hubbard's. On Sunday an automobile trip was taken over the Mohawk trail and to Springfield. Mr. and Mrs. Upton returned to West Somerville Monday.

Schools in town will open Tuesday, Sept. 2. Miss Sylvia Kidder of Townshend has the North school, Mrs. Robert Prentiss of West Dummerston the Frost district, Miss Mildred Stewart of Belows Falls the Pond school and Mrs. F. B. Amnden of South Vernon, the school in the south district.

## HINSDALE, N. H.

Barn in Ashuelot Burned.

Lightning struck the barn owned by John Dickinson in Ashuelot at an early hour Friday morning and set fire to the hay which resulted in the destruction of the barn, four horses, several hogs, a number of wagons and harnesses, and 75 tons of hay. The loss was a heavy one. There was \$3,000 insurance on the barn and contents. The barn was 100 feet long and about 50 feet wide. The house which is connected by a shed was saved.

## PUTNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Thurber were at their farm in Marlboro Sunday.

Penrice and Robert Browning are visiting their uncle, Dr. Eli Germain, in Easthampton, Mass.

Mrs. Ralph Scribner and two children of Brattleboro were recent guests of Mrs. N. E. Thurber.

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